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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed January 27, 1999, Applicant provisionally elects, without traverse, Group I (claims 1-15). Applicant respectfully cancels remaining claims 16-21 without prejudice, and reserves the right to reintroduce them in a divisional application at a later date.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' Representatives at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this RECEIVED application may be assisted thereby.

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Respectfully submitted,

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